STATE OF MINNESOTA
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING,
LAND SURVEYING, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, GEOSCIENCE
AND INTERIOR DESIGN

In the matter of Martin Bonnell Professional Engineer License Number 14010

STIPULATION AND ORDER

Board File No. 2007-0028

TO: Martin Bonnell 172 Spruce Drive Apple Valley, MN 55124

The Minnesota Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geoscience and Interior Design ("Board") is authorized pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 214.10 (2006) and Minnesota Statutes section 326.111 (2006) to review complaints against architects, professional engineers, land surveyors, landscape architects, geoscientists, and certified interior designers, and to take disciplinary action whenever appropriate.

The Board received information concerning Martin Bonnell ("Respondent"). The Board's Complaint Committee ("Committee") reviewed the information. The parties have agreed that the matter may now be resolved by this Stipulation and Order.

STIPULATION

IT IS HEREBY AGREED by and between Respondent and the Committee as follows:

1. <u>Jurisdiction.</u> The Respondent has held a license to practice professional

engineering from the Board since August 29, 1979. Respondent's license lapsed from July 1, 2006 Fill June 31, 2006 until September 5, 2006. Respondent's license is current at the time of this Stipulation and Order. Respondent is subject to the jurisdiction of the Board with respect to the matters referred to in this Stipulation.

- 2. <u>Facts.</u> This Stipulation is based upon the following facts:
 - a. Respondent was first licensed to practice professional engineering in the State of Minnesota on August 29, 1979.
 - b. On June 31, 2006 KIL On June 31, 2006, Respondent's license to practice professional engineering in the State of Minnesota expired.
 - c. On September 5, 2006, Respondent's license to practice professional engineering in the State of Minnesota was renewed.
 - d. On August 14, 2006, Respondent certified and stamped construction plans for a vapor collection system to be used on a project named the Village on Quebec, located at Quebec and 42nd Avenues North, New Hope, Minnesota.
 - e. A true and correct copy of Respondent's stamp is attached as Exhibit 1.
- 3. <u>Violations.</u> Respondent admits that his preparation and certification of the plans as described in paragraph 2d above constitutes the practice of Professional Engineering and that the facts specified above constitute violations of Minnesota Statutes section 326.02 subdivisions 1 and 3 (2006), Minnesota Statutes section 326.03 subdivision 1 (2006), Minnesota Statutes section 326.15 (2006), and Minnesota Rules

1805.0200 subpart 4 (2005) and are sufficient grounds for the action specified below.

- 4. <u>Enforcement Action.</u> Respondent and the Committee agree that the Board should issue an Order in accordance with the following terms:
 - a. <u>Reprimand.</u> Respondent is reprimanded for the foregoing conduct.
- b. <u>Civil Penalty.</u> Respondent shall pay to the Board a civil penalty of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars. Respondent shall submit a civil penalty of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars by cashier's check or money order to the Board within sixty (60) days of the Board's approval of this Stipulation and Order.
- 5. <u>Additional Discipline for Violations of Order.</u> If Respondent violates this Stipulation and Order, Minnesota Statutes, sections 326.02 through 326.15 (2006), Minnesota Rules, Chapter 1800 (2005) or Minnesota Rules Chapter 1805 (2005), the Board may impose additional discipline pursuant to the following procedure:
- a. The Committee shall schedule a hearing before the Board. At least thirty days prior to the hearing, the Committee shall mail Respondent a notice of the violation alleged by the Committee and of the time and place of the hearing. Within fourteen days after the notice is mailed, Respondent shall submit a written response to the allegations. If Respondent does not submit a timely response to the Board, the allegations may be deemed admitted.
- b. At the hearing before the Board, the Complaint Committee and Respondent may submit affidavits made on personal knowledge and argument based on the record in support of their positions. The evidentiary record before the Board shall be limited to such affidavits and this Stipulation and Order. Respondent waives a

hearing before an administrative law judge and waives discovery, cross-examination of adverse witnesses, and other procedures governing administrative hearings or civil trials.

- c. At the hearing, the Board will determine whether to impose additional disciplinary action, including additional conditions or limitations on Respondent's practice or suspension or revocation of Respondent's license.
- 6. Waiver of Respondent's Rights. For the purpose of this Stipulation, Respondent waives all procedures and proceedings before the Board to which. Respondent may be entitled under the Minnesota and United States constitutions, statutes, or the rules of the Board, including the right to dispute the allegations against Respondent, to dispute the appropriateness of discipline in a contested case proceeding pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 14 (2006), and to dispute the civil penalty imposed by this Agreement. Respondent agrees that upon the application of the Committee without notice to or an appearance by Respondent, the Board may issue an Order containing the enforcement action specified in paragraph 4 herein. Respondent waives the right to any judicial review of the Order by appeal, writ of certiorari, or otherwise.
- 7. <u>Collection.</u> In accordance with Minnesota Statutes section 16D.17 (2006), in the event this order becomes final and Respondent does not comply with the condition in paragraph 4(b) above, Respondent agrees that the Board may file and enforce the unpaid portion of the civil penalty as a judgment without further notice or additional proceedings.

- 8. <u>Board Rejection of Stipulation and Order.</u> In the event the Board in its discretion does not approve this Stipulation and Order or a lesser remedy than specified herein, this Stipulation and Order shall be null and void and shall not be used for any purpose by either party hereto. If this Stipulation is not approved and a contested case proceeding is initiated pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 14 (2006), Respondent agrees not to object to the Board's initiation of the proceedings and hearing the case on the basis that the Board has become disqualified due to its review and consideration of this Stipulation and the record.
- 9. <u>Unrelated Violations.</u> This settlement shall not in any way or manner limit or affect the authority of the Board to proceed against Respondent by initiating a contested case hearing or by other appropriate means on the basis of any act, conduct, or admission of Respondent justifying disciplinary action which occurred before or after the date of this Stipulation and Order and which is not directly related to the specific facts and circumstances set forth herein.
- 10. <u>Record.</u> The Stipulation, related investigative reports and other documents shall constitute the entire record of the proceedings herein upon which the Order is based. The investigative reports, other documents, or summaries thereof may be filed with the Board with this Stipulation.
- 11. <u>Data Classification.</u> Under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, this Stipulation and Order is classified as public data upon its issuance by the Board, Minnesota Statutes section 13.41, subd. 5 (2006). All documents in the record shall maintain the data classification which they are entitled under the Minnesota

Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13 (2006). They shall not,

to the extent they are not already public documents, become public merely because they

are referenced herein. A summary of this Order will appear in the Board's newsletter.

A summary will also be sent to the national discipline data bank pertaining to the

practice of Professional Engineering.

12. <u>Entire Agreement.</u> Respondent has read, understood, and agreed to this

Stipulation and is freely and voluntarily signing it. The Stipulation contains the entire

agreement between the parties hereto relating to the allegations referenced herein.

Respondent is not relying on any other agreement or representations of any kind,

verbal or otherwise.

13. <u>Counsel</u>. Respondent is aware that he may choose to be represented by

legal counsel in this matter. Respondent knowingly waived legal representation.

14. <u>Service.</u> If approved by the Board, a copy of this Stipulation and Order

shall be served personally or by first class mail on Respondent. The Order shall be

effective and deemed issued when it is signed by the Chair of the Board.

RESPONDENT

Martin Bonnell, P.E.

Dated: 3/3(2) . 2007

COMPLAINT COMMITTEE

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Billie Lawton, Public Member,

Committee Chair

Dated: 5/4 ,2007

ORDER

Upon consideration of the foregoing Stipulation and based upon all the files, records and proceedings herein, all terms of the Stipulation are approved and hereby issued as an Order of this Board on this the $\frac{4^{14}}{2^{14}}$ day of $\frac{100}{2^{14}}$, 2007.

MINNESOTA BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, GEOSCIENCE AND INTERIOR DESIGN

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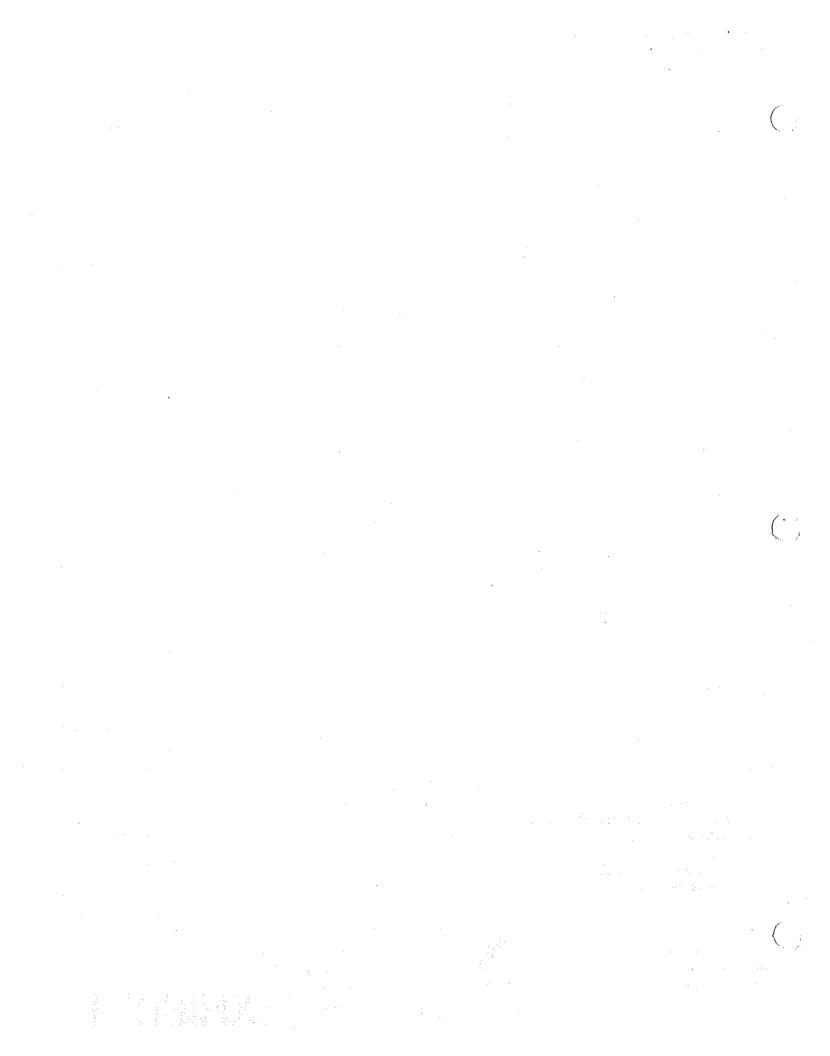
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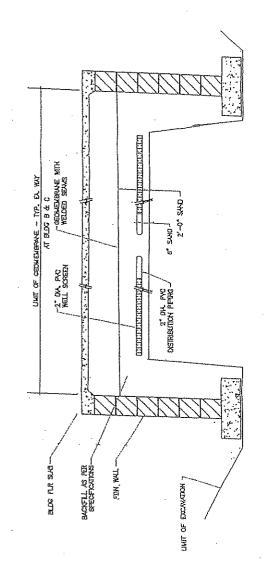
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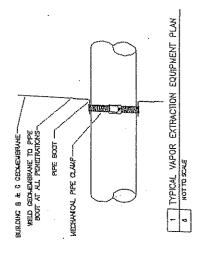
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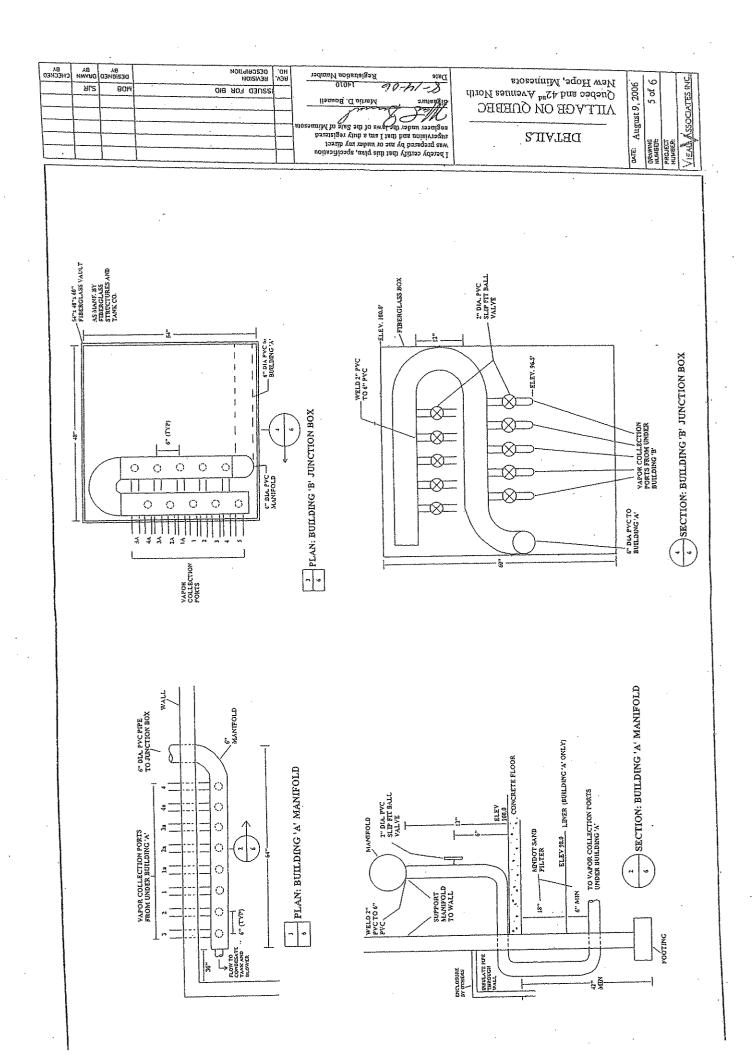
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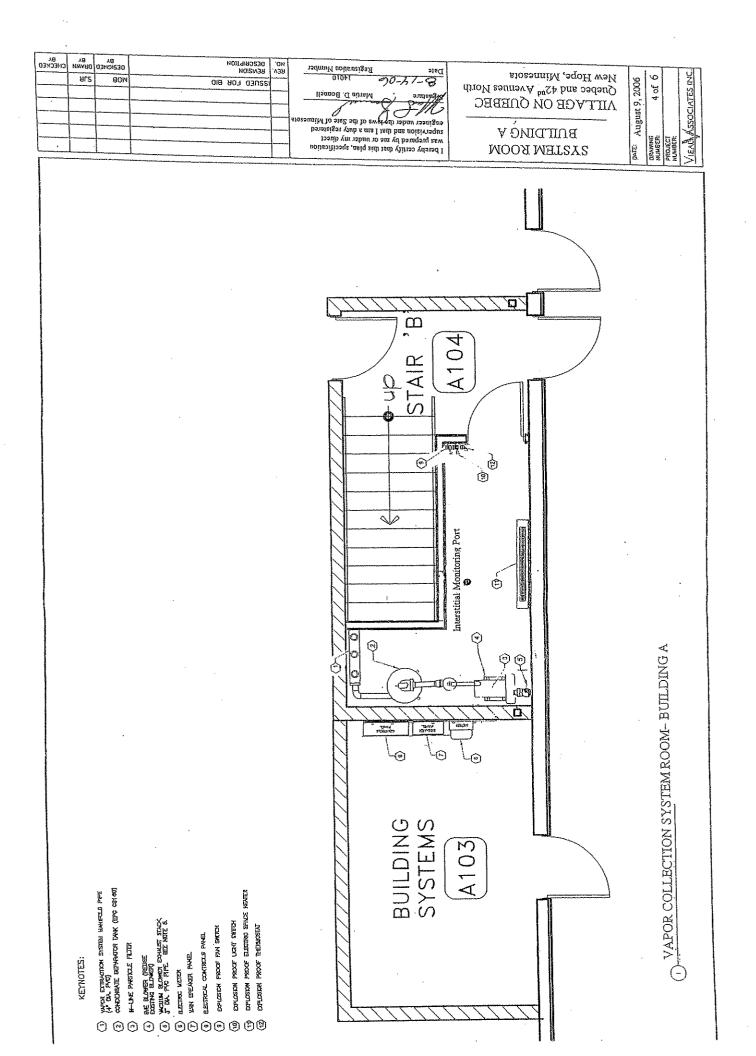


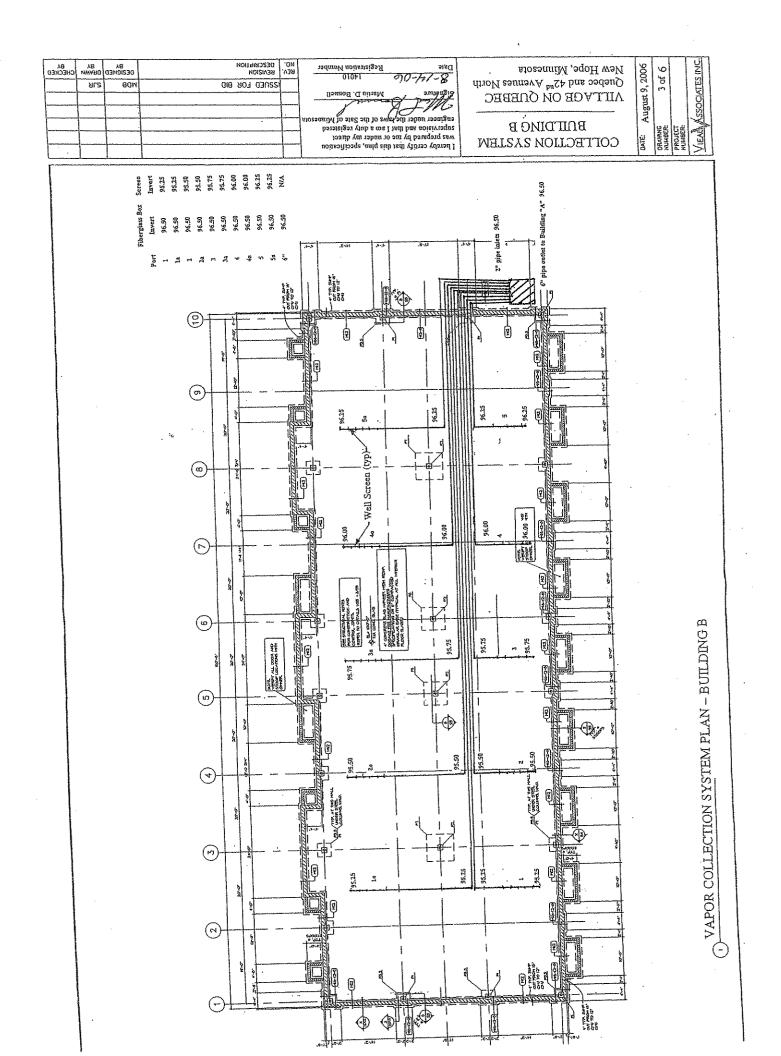
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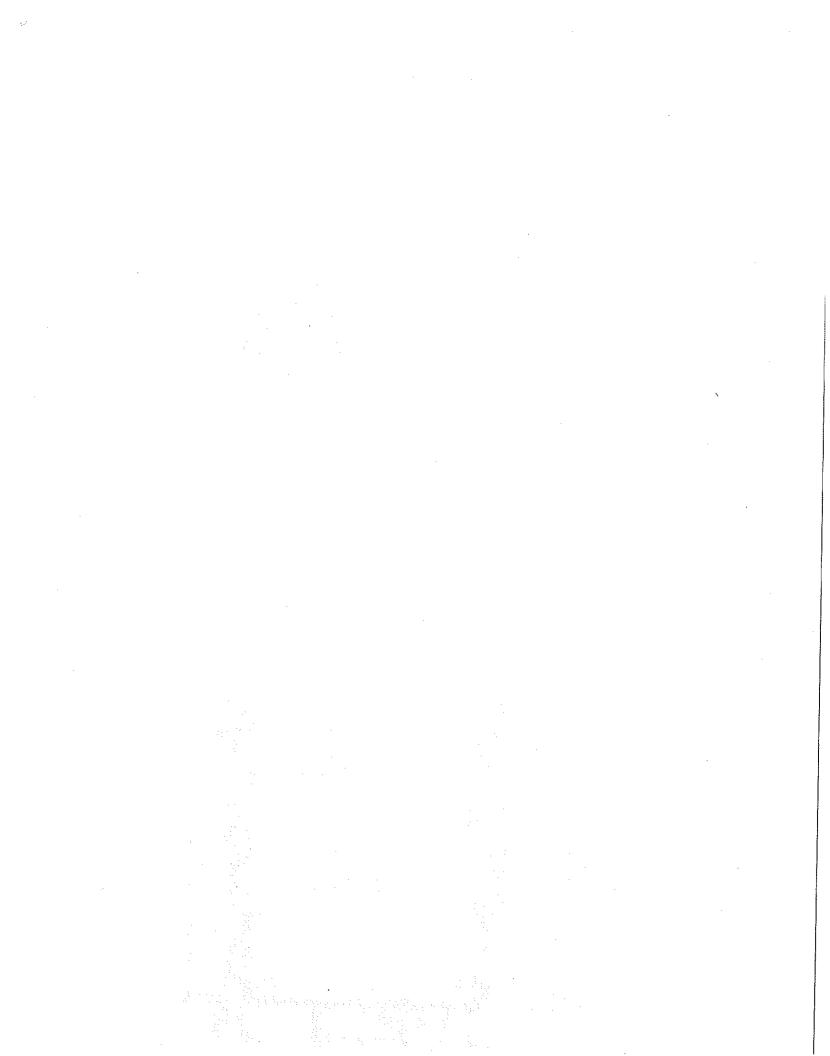








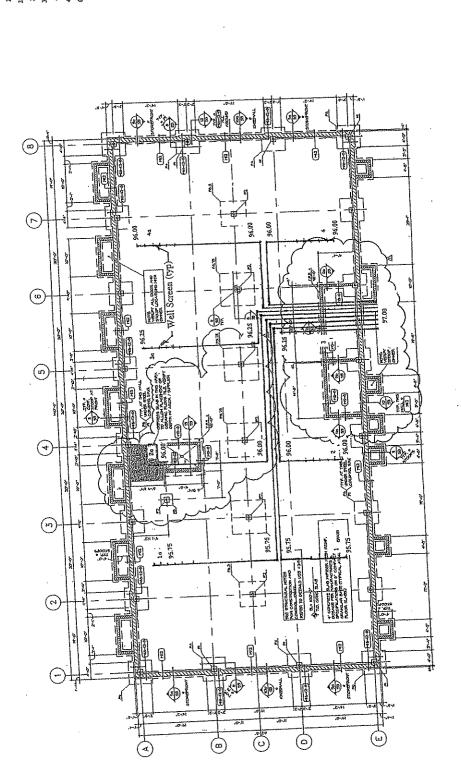




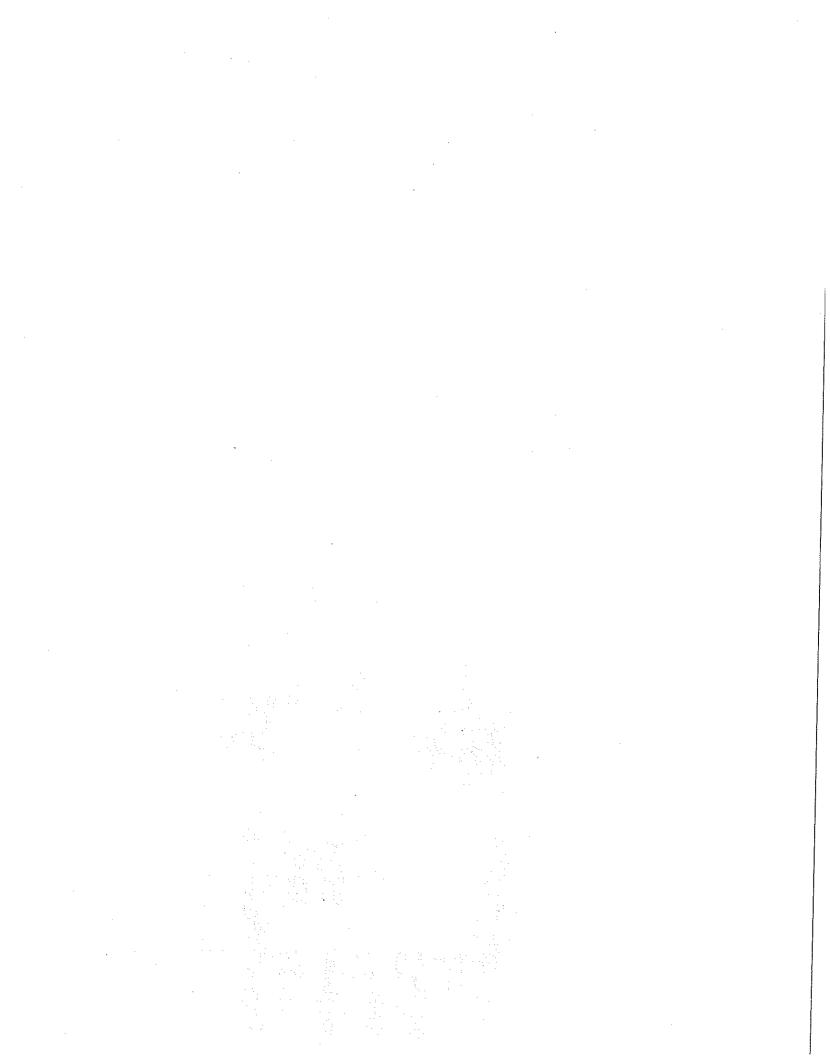
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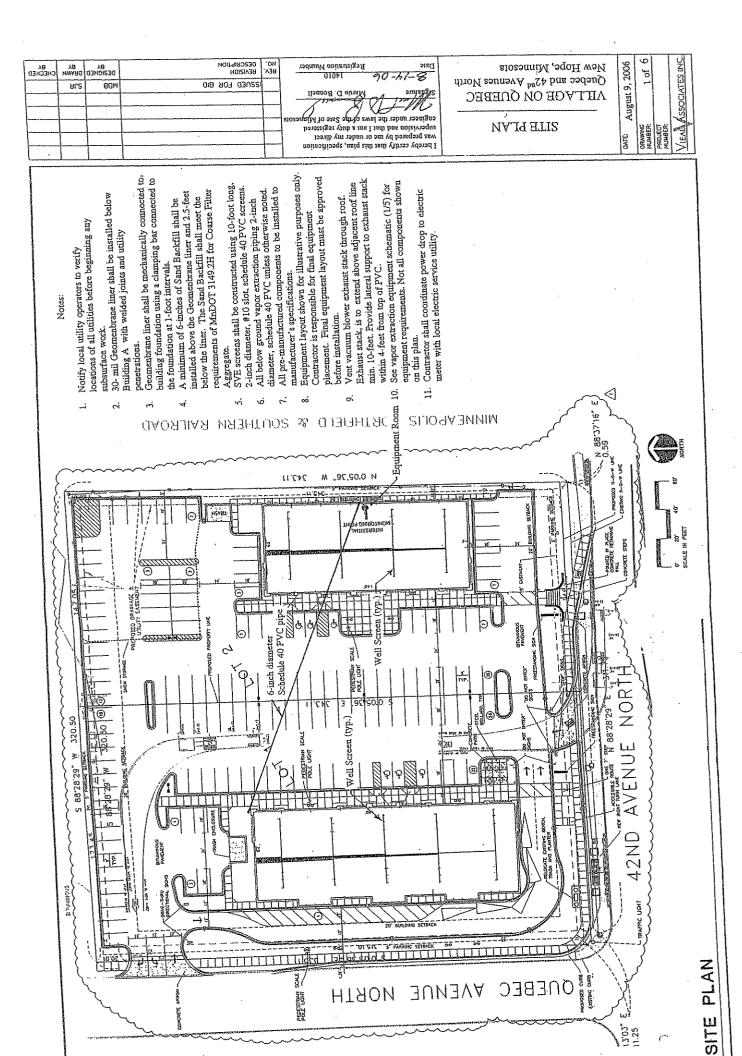
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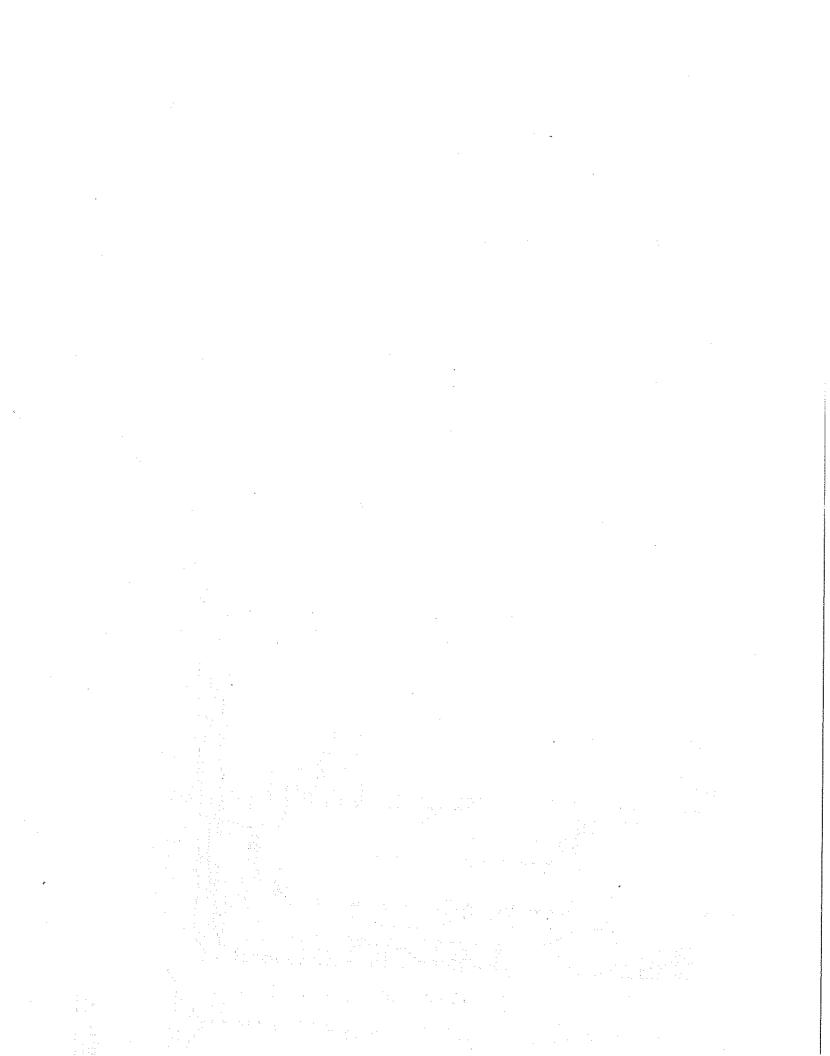
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RE: In the matter of Martin Bonnell File Number 2007-0028

STATE OF MINNESOTA) ss. COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Patricia J. Litchy, being first duly sworn on October 2, 2007, deposes and says:

That at the City of St. Paul, County of Ramsey and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of February, 2007, she served the Proposed Stipulation and Order by depositing in the United States mail at said city and state, a true and correct copy thereof, properly enveloped, with first class and certified postage prepaid, and addressed to:

Martin Bonnell 172 Spruce Drive Apple Valley, MN 55124

Patricia J. Litchy, J. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the 2^{nd} day of October, 2007.

(Notary Public)

SHERI L LINDEMANN
Notary Public Minnesota
My Commission
Expires 1/31/2010